



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(s): Mourad Boulouednine, et al.

EXAMINER: Tuyet Thi Vo

SERIAL NO.: 10/765,875

GROUP: 2821

FILED: 01/29/2004

CASE NO.: 03P01354

TITLED: Circuit Arrangement and Method for an Illumination Device Having Settable Color and Brightness

Osram Sylvania, Inc.
800 N. Church St.
Lake Zurich, IL 60047
November 9, 2005

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

1. Applicant hereby petitions pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a three (3) month extension of time for response to the outstanding Official Action mailed 05/23/05. The period for response was previously set to elapse 08/23/05 (shortened statutory period) and is accordingly hereby extended to 11/23/05, which is still within the six-month statutory period for response (35 U.S.C. §133) which elapses 11/23/05.

2. The reason for this petition is as follows:

X	A response to the outstanding Official Action is being filed herewith;
	It is expected that a response to the outstanding Official Action will be filed within the extended period for response;
	A Notice of Appeal to the Board of Appeals (37 CFR § 1.191) is being filed herewith;
	It is expected that a Notice of Appeal to the Board of Appeals (37 CFR § 1.191) will be filed within the extended period for response.
	A Division, Continuation, or Continuation-in-part is being filed, and it is desired to maintain the present application in pending condition pursuant to 35 USC § 120 through at least the filing date of the Division, Continuation, or Continuation-in-part application.

3. The required fee as established by 37 CFR § 1.17(a) pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 41(a) (8) is:

	RATE	FEE
First Month	\$120.00	
Second Month	\$450.00	
Third Month	\$1,020.00	\$1,020.00
Fourth Month	\$1,590.00	
Fifth Month	\$2,160.00	

The fee of **\$1,020.00** is to be charged to our Deposit Account No. **15-0685**. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. **15-0685**. An additional copy of this paper is enclosed herewith for deposit account charging purposes.

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Respectfully submitted,

Mourad Boulouednine, et al.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

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On November 9, 2005
(Date of Deposit)

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